GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:157
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Funds Sanctioned for Cultural Projects
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) The details of the fund sanctioned by the Government and utilized for various cultural assistance and cultural projects in Chhattisgarh during the last two years;

(b) the details of the on going cultural activities and projects in Chhatistarh under these schemes/projects; and

(c) the details of the projects which are running on time and those that are lagging behind?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) CULTURE AND TOURISM
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a, b & c): The Details is at Annexure-I.

ANNEXURE -I

ANNEXURE IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 157 FOR 17TH JULY, 2017

The details of the fund sanctioned by the Government and utilized for various cultural assistance and cultural projects in Chhattisgarh during the last two years; The details of the on going cultural activities and projects in Chhatistarh under these schemes/projects; and The details of the projects which are running on time and those that are lagging behind?

a) Details of the funds sanctioned by Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation during last two years under various Matching and Non-matching schemes in respect of Libraries/ organizations of Chhattisgarh is at Annexure II.

b) Under the Scheme of Improvement of Infrastructure and Modernization of Libraries for development of Model Library under National Mission on Libraries, during 2014-15 assistance of Rupees 87 Lakh each has been sanctioned for District Library, Dantewada and District Library, Raigarh in Chhattisgarh.

c) Under Scheme "Tribal Sub-Plan" National School of Drama organised "National Tribal Performing Arts &Crafts Festival titled "Adi-Parb" at Raipur, Chhattisgarh and 33.34 lakhs were utilised on it.

d) National School of Drama organized a "Theatre Appreciation workshop" in Raipur, Chhattisgarh and has incurred an expenditure of Rs.2.12 Lakhs.

e) Details of fund utilised by Sahitya Akademi in Chhattisgarh is at Annexure-III.

f) The Sangeet Natak Akademi is running a scheme of financial assistance to the cultural institutions/organisations of the country including State of Chhatisgarh and has utilised Rs. 70,000 in 2015-16 and Rs.1,30,000 in 2016-17.

a) Under the schemes of Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation the project of construction of new Library Building of State Central Library, Raipur, Chhattisgarh is under progress. Seminar has been organized by Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya and books have been supplied to ten District Libraries of Chhattisgarh.

b) The assistance sanctioned under National Mission on Libraries for District Library, Dantewada and District Library, Raigarh is meant for activities such as upgradation of infrastructure, upgradation of technology and modernization of services, creation of facilities for specially abled groups and procurement of reading resources to meet local need and advocacy and outreach programs.

c) CCRT organizes Orientation Courses and other training programmes for In-service Government .and Government. aided school Teachers and Teacher Educators throughout the year, with the component "Linking Education with Culture". In this regard from April, 2015 to March 2017. CCRT has trained total 163 Teachers from Chhattisgarh.

a)Under Museum Grant Scheme, an amount of Rs.50.40 Lakhs has been granted to Indira Kala Sangeet Vishwavidyalay, Chhattisgarh for Extension and Modernisation of Galleries.

ANNEXURE -II

ANNEXURE IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 157 FOR 17TH JULY, 2017

Funds sanctioned by Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation during last two years for Chhattisgarh.

2015-2016
Sl. No Scheme Library/Organisation assisted Status Amount Sanctioned Amount Released
1 Seminar (Non-Matching) Department of Library &Information Science, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur. 2ndinstalment released Rs.100000/- Rs.25000/-
2 Central Selection Scheme (Non-Matching) Books supplied to 5 (five) District Libraries of Chhattisgarh. Books supplied - Rs.769289/-

2016-2017
Sl. No. Scheme Library/Organisation assisted Status Amount Sanctioned Amount Released
1 Central Selection Scheme (Non-Matching) Books supplied to 5 (five) District Libraries of Chhattisgarh. Books supplied - Rs.2798230/-
2 Construction of Library building (Matching) State Central Library, Raipur, Chhattisgarh (sanctioned during 2014-15) 2ndinstalment released Rs.25000000/- Rs.12500000/-

ANNEXURE -lll

ANNEXURE IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 157 FOR 17TH JULY, 2017

Detailof the ongoing Scheme/Cultural works / projects in Chhattisgarh
Fund Allocated and Utilised in Rupees in Lakhs
Fund Allocated Fund utilised Fund Allocated Fund utilised
2015-2016 2015-2016 2016-2017 2016-2017

Sahitya Akademi (SA) organised Kavisandhi programme with Dr. Vinod Asudani, noted Sindi poet in collaboration with Chattisgarh Sindhi Sahitya Sanstha Raipur. 0.13 0.13
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Sahitya Akademiorganised a Halbi Language Convention in collaboration with Bastar University, Jagdalpur, Chhatisgarh. 2.80 2.80

Sahitya Akademi organized a Birth centenary seminar on Laxman Jha, Babu Saheb Choudhuri and Naggendra Kumar in collaboration with Maithili Pravahika, Raipur, Chhattisgarh 1.72 1.72